

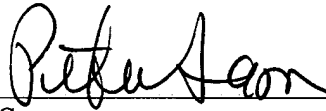
(c) REMARKS

Pursuant to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of April 13, 2005, a corrected section of the entire "Amendments to the Claims" section of the Amendment document filed March 9, 2005 has been provided, as requested. Claim 23 is present in the corrected section.

Accordingly, please consider the corrected response and since all the claims are now believed to be in allowable form, it is requested that the case be passed to issue. If any issues remain, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned in an effort to resolve them.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter Saxon", is written over a horizontal line.

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